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MEMORANDUM FOR: Executive Director-Comptroller

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You asked why we didn't update the titles in STA1 bn a separate page. when we reprinted it to put was substantially revised and fully coordinated. In the process it was reduced from more than two pages to less than began on the last page of STA one. Since the old could be revised. to reprint that page or hold_ STA to make the titles current, If we had revised STA we would have had to show a current date of revision; and it would have been necessary to coordinate the proposal. Reissuing STA1 current date and new titles would have given the impression of current authenticity, which it doesn't have, and would have conflicted with the issues about which are processing of a proposed revision of STAT currently being negotiated between the Intelligence Directorate and the Clandestine Service. We do not have a forecast from the Intelligence Directorate about when this revision may be ready for processing. indefinitely, we felt that it would be better to Rather than hold publish it and reprint the last page of as is, continuing to show STAT the September 1963 date of its last revision. This mechanical awkwardness could be reduced if we began each regulation on a new page. This would introduce a lot of blank white spaces into regulations and expand their volume probably by as much as 25-35 per cent. The practice has been to try to adapt to the occasional mechanical problem rather than introduce a substantial change in the format of the regulations.

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